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CHAPTER II

None

TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES ELECTED OFFICE (EO/US)

(ENTRY INTO U.S. NATIONAL PHASE UNDER CHAPTER II)

03 February 2000 (3.02.00)

Inte	ernational Applicatio	on No. International Filing Date	Priority Date Claimed			
	LE OF INVENTION: TIGENS	MULTI-PASS ENRICHMENT AND DETECTION	ON OF SURFACE ASSOCIATED			
AP	plicant(s): STI Ir	ndustries				
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. 1.	Applicant herewith submits to the United States Elected Office (EO/US) the following items under 35 U.S.C. § 371:					
!	a. This	express request to immediately begin national exa $371(f)$).	mination procedures (35 U.S.C. §			
	b. The	U.S. National Fee (35 U.S.C. § 371(c)(1)) and other	er fees (37 C.F.R. § 1.492) as			

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.8(a) and 1.10* (When using Express Mail, the Express Mail label number is mandatory;

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2. Fees

CLAIMS FEE*	(I) FOR	(2) NUMBER FILED	(3) NUMBER EXTRA	(4) RATE	(5) CALCULA- TIONS		
	TOTAL CLAIMS	24 -20 =	4	x \$9.00 =	\$36.00		
	INDEPENDEN T CLAIMS	3 - 3 =	0	x \$42.00 =	\$0.00		
	MULTIPLE DEPI	\$0.00					
BASIC FEE	U.S. PTO WAS IN AUTHORITY Where an Internat been paid on the in and the in criteria of activity, a the claims	\$100.00					
	C.F.R. § 1.492(a)(4))						
SMALL ENTITY	Reduction by 1/2 (note 37 C.F.R. §	- \$68.00					
		\$68.00					
	Total National Fee				\$68.00		
	Fee for recording the enclosed assignment document \$40.00 (37 C.F.R. § 1.21(h)). See Item 13 below). See attached "ASSIGNMENT COVER SHEET".						
TOTAL			,	Total Fees enclosed	\$68.00		

Attached is a check in the amount of \$68.00.

A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Assertion of Small Entity Status

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Applicant hereby asserts status as a small entity under 37 C.F.R. § 1.27.

- A copy of the International application as filed (35 U.S.C. § 371(c)(2)) is not required, as the
 application was filed with the United States Receiving Office.
- A translation of the International application into the English language (35 U.S.C. § 371(e)(2)) is not required as the application was filed in English.
- Amendments to the claims of the International application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. § 371(c)(3)) have been transmitted by the International Bureau.
 - Date of mailing of the amendment (from form PCT/IB/308): 12 August 2000
- A translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (38 U.S.C. § 371(c)(3)) is not required as the amendments were made in the English language.
- 7. A copy of the international examination report (PCT/IPEA/409) Not required
- Annex(es) to the international preliminary examination report is/are not required as the
 application was filed with the United Stated Receiving Office.
- A translation of the annexes to the international preliminary examination report is not required as the annexes are in the English language.
- An oath or declaration of the inventor (35 U.S.C. § 371(c)(4)) complying with 35 U.S.C. § 115 will follow.
- II. Other document(s) or information included:
- An International Search Report (PCT/ISA/210) or Declaration under PCT Article 17(2)(a) has been transmitted by the International Bureau.

Date of mailing (from form PCT/IB/308): 21 June 2000.

- 12. An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98 will be transmitted within THREE MONTHS of the date of submission of requirements under 35 U.S.C. § 371(c).
- 13. The above items are being transmitted before 30 months from any claimed priority date.

AUTHORIZATION TO CHARGE ADDITION AT BEST PUT/FTO 2 9 MAR 2002

Please charge, in the manner authorized above, the following additional fees that may be required by this paper and during the entire pendency of this application:

37 C.F.R. § 1.492(a)(1), (2), (3), and (4) (filing fees)

37 C.F.R. § 1.492(b), (c), and (d) (presentation of extra claims)

37 C.F.R. § 1.17 (application processing fees)

37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1)-(5) (extension fees pursuant to Section 1.136(a))

37 C.F.R. § 1.492(e) and (f) (surcharge fees for filing the declaration and/or filing an English translation of an International Application later than 30 months after the priority date).

Date: 3 /29/02

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